



ALEXANDRIA.

MONDAY EVENING, JULY 18.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alex. Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18, 1887.

Delegate Ryan, of Loudoun county, is here. While affecting to know no more of the Virginia political situation than ordinary folks, what he does know he seems to comprehend pretty well. Republican success in the State election next fall he now considers a ridiculous improbability. The democratic Roanoke convention, which he did not believe at the outset to be either a piece of political necessity or a piece of sound political strategy, will, he thinks, in no way hurt the prospect of a victory for that party. It may not be a great, gushing and tumultuous gathering of the faithful, but it is sure to be a clever, patriotic and representative body, respectable in its personnel and orderly in all its deliberations. The smaller its numbers the more harmonious are likely to be its proceedings. The extremists on neither side will be able, he believes, to "touch off" any dangerous firebrand or confuse the main purpose of the convention, to hold the State and to keep on guard the men most interested in her every welfare. Col. Ryan, in the course of his conservative observations, brought out a fact highly illustrative of the clear conscience and clean, delicate modesty of Hon. John S. Barbour, in his direction of his party's affairs in Virginia. Among the reasons of Mr. Barbour, said he, for a convention, was one personal as well as political to himself. A strict construction of party usage to Mr. Barbour's mind, made it proper that a convention of the sovereign democratic people should meet this year, receive the account of his stewardship and select, if they preferred so to do, a new leader for the approaching struggle. Mr. Barbour does not perceive the law or even the custom of his party, which permits a commander chosen for a particular campaign to hold on and over until a successor is dragged, as it were, to the front by the course of events or circumstances belonging to a later period than the one covered by the original selection. A new campaign, involving new issues, should be fought with a new commander, or else the old one should be endorsed by the new representatives coming directly from the people. This, said Ryan, was Barbour's view of the matter, and contrasting his course with that of the republican management in a similar regard was too fatiguing in a torrid spell of weather such as we are now having to dilate on. Gen. Mahone, he supposed, would have no superfluous thing like a convention of his party or even tolerate the legislation of one. He was the committee, the committee was the convention and the body of the republicans were not permitted to look to any higher source of inspiration and wisdom than to chairman Mahone.

The death of S. B. Robbins on yesterday, a partner of Col. Selden in the proprietorship of the Metropolitan Hotel, was not unexpected, as he died after a lingering illness of nearly a year. No change will result in the management of the hotel except that the sole conduct will now devolve on the senior surviving partner, Mr. Selden. In many respects this establishment, though not a political one, is nevertheless southern and the headquarters of many of the politicians of the South, of both parties. Mr. Selden is the southern man of the late management and is a native of Lynchburg, Va.

The Treasury Department has decided that tin pins are dutiable at the rate of 30 per cent, under the provision applicable to "pins, solid head and others."

The Treasury Department has reaffirmed its decision of July 22, 1886, that there is no authority under law for the payment of drawback on coal taken for fuel by foreign vessels.

The issue of standard silver dollars from the mints during the week ending July 16th was \$552,058. The issue during the corresponding period of last year was \$533,573. The shipments of fractional silver coin since the 1st inst. amount to \$395,987.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The debt of William and Mary College has been reduced to \$5,000.

The President on Saturday appointed Julius A. Fisk to be postmaster at Portsmouth, vice A. S. Lindsley, removed.

New wheat has been coming into Petersburg quite freely. It is generally in good condition, and brings 75 to 85 cents per bushel.

More Irish potatoes were raised in the Norfolk section this year than ever before, but the prices hardly averaged two dollars a barrel.

Gen. Imboden says that if the mineral wealth of Virginia had been as fully developed in 1860 as it is now there would have been no war.

The corn and oat crops on the peninsula will be of an unusually large yield this season. Corn throughout Tidewater never was more promising. Sweet potatoes now maturing also promise well.

A Richmond letter says: "No one seems to doubt that Mahone will favor submitting to the decisions of the courts on the debt question and oppose the adoption of any complicated restrictive measures by the Legislature for keeping coupons out of the treasury."

The barn of Mr. Thomas Woolfolk, in Louisa county, was struck by lightning during a recent storm and destroyed, together with his large crop of hay, which he had just housed. His teams were on their way to the building when it was struck and thus escaped.

A citizen of Lexington, who holds a mineral right on a piece of property near the Victoria furnaces at Gosport, has discovered on his land what is supposed to be a fine grade of anthracite coal. The vein will be developed at once, and if anthracite is found, it will be an independent fortune to the owner and iron business in that section.

A meeting of the directors of the Northern Neck Telegraph and Telephone Company was held at Heathsville last Monday, W. A. Jones was elected president, Lytleton Cockrell treasurer and John A. Palmer secretary. Arrangements were made looking to the early construction and equipment of a telegraph line from Fredericksburg to Carter's Creek, near the mouth of the Rappahannock river, and to Fairport, in the lower end of Northumberland county. As soon as the necessary preliminary arrangements can be perfected the work of construction will be begun and vigorously pushed forward. Upwards of \$5,000 of stock has been subscribed.

SUMMARY JUSTICE.—On Saturday John Thomas, a negro, who had been employed by a farmer named Turner, near Union City, Ky., was lynched. While the family was away from home Thomas committed an assault upon the farmer's 11-year-old girl, who, frightened by the black brute's threats, kept the secret for two days. Finally Mrs. Turner learned the truth, but Thomas had meanwhile fled. He was speedily captured, however, and his preliminary examination took place Saturday, a large crowd being present. He denied his guilt, but was positively identified by his victim, who pointed him out among a dozen colored men. The crowd at once overpowered the court officers and dragged the second to a tree near the court room without waiting for him to confess. A rope was slipped around his neck, and in an instant he was writhing in the air. Death ensued from strangulation.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Young King Alfonso of Spain, who is just fourteen months old, gets a salary of \$1,500,000 a year.

George R. Sibley, a prominent merchant, and president of the National Bank of Georgia, died suddenly at his residence at Summerville Saturday night.

A severe earthquake shock was felt yesterday at Malta. A serious shock was also felt at Cairo, where one man was killed and several wounded. A number of mosques were damaged. Shocks were also felt at Ismailia and Alexandria.

Advices have been received to the effect that the governments of Belgium and Switzerland will send one infantry company each to participate in the international military drill in Chicago in October next. It is expected that France will send a company from the graduating class of St. Cyr.

One of the most interesting products of the Sierra Nevada mountains, and one which never fails to excite wonder and admiration of the tourist, whether from the East or the large cities of the coast, is the beautiful snow plant. The scientific name of this flower is *sarcodes sanguinea*, meaning bloodless flesh.

Alex. R. Shepherd, ex-Governor of the District of Columbia, long absent in Mexico, has returned to his former home near Silver Spring, on the edge of the District. Gov. Shepherd has a wound in the head, inflicted by a sharp rock in a mine tunnel roof, against which he was thrown some months ago by an unruly horse.

Letter from Fauquier.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

MARSHALL, July 16, 1887.—With us it is hot! hot! with the thermometer in the 90s daily. We have had heavy showers of rain which will ensure abundant crops of corn and hay. Our farmers have nearly completed stacking their wheat crop and some have begun to thresh. The yield will be fully one-third less than the average quantity. Some other industry must be tried since for three or four years past wheat culture has absorbed nearly all the profits. Our neighbors about Warrenton have found a creamery to pay and it is to be hoped that the farmer's club, lately organized at Marshall, will discuss the advantages of such a scheme.

The graziers have begun to ship from our depot small lots of fat cattle. At 44 cents per pound cattle weighing from twelve to fifteen hundred pounds gross must prove remunerative. Mr. Marshall Lake and Major T. K. Foster have splendid specimens of this stock on their farms.

The young folks of Marshall and The Plains have had an enjoyable time on the occasion of a scenic theatrical performance styled "Down by the Sea."

As usual the Good Templars are proposing to hold their annual bush meeting about the 20th of August, either in a grove near The Plains or Marshall. The weather certainly favors the "dries."

Along the political horizon of our Piedmont country all at present is calm. The late letter of President Cleveland declining to visit St. Louis and to be exposed to the insults of the so-called G. A. R. has the ring of a true man, and it is to be hoped that the New South as well as every genuine American will seek to recollect Mr. Cleveland for a second term.

It would appear that a touch of Ithuriel's lance had the desired effect upon the Seventh-day Adventists. At one of their recent meetings here the audience were requested to signify approval of changing the Christian Sabbath to Saturday. All kept their seats. Then, by way of a clincher, subsequently came the condition of fellowship with Adventists, viz: all debts must be first paid. Of course, the proposition was truly mal-apropos, since to become free from public and private debt just now in the Old Dominion is not a popular matter—hardly to a saint.

The communication to the editor of the ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE entitled "The Seventh-day Adventists" has rather confirmed the Christian community of Marshall in the belief that these Adventists proclaim anti-Christian doctrines, though the incredulous in our midst may fail to heed the poet's warning:

"Vice is a monster of such hideous mien
To be hated needs but to be seen.
But seen too oft, familiar with her face,
We first endure, then pity, then embrace."

Cattle Disease in Loudoun.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

LEESBURG, Va., July 18.—Mr. Charles E. Powell has lost three cattle in the last few days, and becoming alarmed about them, he sent to the Agricultural Bureau for a veterinary.

Dr. Rose of that department came up on Saturday and has pronounced the disease Texas or Southern fever. In addition to the cattle lost Mr. P. has two more seriously affected and one or two more with indications of the disease. As the disease is not contagious except from contact, there is not much anxiety among neighboring farmers. The great trouble with Mr. Powell is that he has those lots of cattle that have come in contact with the southern cattle, and the disease has exhibited itself in each herd. He is an extensive grazer and has other cattle that are free from danger, but one of the infected herds are fine fat cattle. Dr. Rose says that good rains and cool weather will have the effect of, in a measure, abating the disease, and we hope for the sake of Mr. Powell we may be blessed with both.

JA. BEE.

PLANNING TO MURDER EMPEROR WILLIAM.—The Paris *Intransigent* announces that the police at Grosvenor have discovered certain documents which give evidence of the existence of a socialist plot to murder Emperor William of Germany while journeying to Gastein. Many arrests have been made of persons charged with being implicated in the plot. In consequence of a rumor that slips of paper had been found in several places through which the imperial train would pass, endorsed "To-night at about midnight, the emperor's train passes. Be ready." A fictitious special train was dispatched before the emperor's. The route from Mayence to Darmstadt was lined with police and gendarmes. Both trains passed safely without incident.

Little Agnes Buckley, a policeman's daughter, of Newburyport, who died recently, had a strong realization of her approaching death, although the physicians had not given her up. On the afternoon of the day she died she called her mother to the bedside to make arrangements for the funeral, and announced that she had only a minute or two longer to live. Just then the gate clicked and she heard her father's footsteps coming up the walk. Raising herself in bed with her remaining strength she cried out: "Hurry up, papa, I'll wait a minute for you." The agonized father heard the cry and rushed up the stairs to the bedroom. He had barely time to take his daughter in his arms, when she whispered "Good by" to him and expired.

The report published this morning that the steamer Columbia from Brooklyn on her return trip from Rockaway Beach yesterday evening had been capsized in the lower bay, lacks confirmation, as no reference to such disaster is made in today's dispatches.

To-day is the anniversary of the battle of Blackburn's Ford.



TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Foreign News.

LONDON, July 18.—The replies of the powers to Bulgaria's note asking their approval of the election of Prince Ferdinand of Saxe-Coburg Gotha as Prince of Bulgaria are evasive.

A Tory whip has been issued urging the conservative members to attend to night's session of the House of Commons and take part in the discussion of the conduct of Dr. Tanner, member for Cork, in calling Mr. Long, another member, a "damned snob" in the lobby of the House on Friday night.

John Nash Peake, a colliery owner of Staffordshire, has failed. His liabilities are between one hundred and two hundred thousand pounds.

DUBLIN, July 18.—Archbishop Walsh, of Dublin, is endeavoring to induce the government to suspend further evictions in Ireland until the land bill has been passed by Parliament. He suggests that a conference on the subject be held by the leaders of the various parties.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 18.—The Sultan, through Herr Von Radlowitz, the German ambassador, and by a direct messenger, tried to persuade Sir H. D. Wolff, the British commissioner, to postpone his departure from Constantinople. In his latest dispatch Lord Salisbury refused to modify the Egyptian convention. There are rumors of coming changes in the ministry.

LATER.—Kiamil Pacha, the Grand Vizier, has resigned. The resignation was in consequence of a violent article published in the *Mizan* attacking the Grand Vizier, the Cabinet and the whole administration, which was inspired by the Sultan in order to excite public indignation against them and thus cover his own responsibility in connection with the Egyptian convention.

Cases of Sunstroke.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 19.—Fourteen cases of sun stroke were reported yesterday, eight of which were fatal.

CINCINNATI, July 18.—There were reported up to midnight forty-eight cases of sunstroke in the city yesterday, of which eighteen were fatal, and at midnight there were numerous additional calls for the patrol wagons for new cases. The mercury on the streets during most of the day ranged from 100 to 104 and the air was very still.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.—There was but little diminution in the temperature to-day and up to noon six deaths from prostration had been reported. The thermometer at noon registered 95 degrees. There were eighteen deaths from the heat yesterday and five on Saturday.

CINCINNATI, O., July 18.—The heat continues almost unabated. The thermometer is at 97. There have been sixteen prostrations by the heat to-day already and six deaths.

Fires.

TERRE HAUTE, July 18.—The Terre Haute car works with the exception of the foundry department were destroyed by fire last evening. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. Seath, the president of the company, estimates the loss at \$100,000. The insurance is between \$50,000 and \$60,000. Seven hundred and fifty men are thrown out of employment. Fifty new cars had just been completed, which were destroyed. It is the intention of the company to rebuild at once.

CHICAGO, July 18.—A special from Manteno, Ill., says: A large elevator, a coal yard, some hay barns, a hay press and several cars were burned yesterday. Loss \$38,000.

PITTSBURG, July 18.—Last evening the plate department of Hammond & Son's iron works was burned except the puddling department, and \$50,000 worth of machinery was badly damaged. The loss is estimated at \$150,000, on which there is about \$75,000 insurance. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

NEW YORK, July 18.—A fire this morning at Nos. 134 and 136 White street did damage to the stock and fixtures of Harris Cohen's second hand clothing store to the extent of \$40,000, upon which there was an insurance of \$19,500.

The Presidential Party.

UTICA, July 18.—The Presidential party reached Utica from Forestport in General Priest's private coach at 9:45 a. m. Secretary Fairchild and wife accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland. Superintendent Priest took charge of the train on the Central road as far as Canastota. No. 475 locomotive, named after the General, with engineer Jacob in charge drew the party out of this station at 9:56 a. m. As the connecting train for Canastota will not leave Canastota until 11:30, the special train will be run at a moderate rate of speed, slowing up at Oriskany and Rome, stopping possibly at Okauchee. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland look quite well. The night and morning have been most exhausting. Heavy rain fell at intervals, but this added to the discomfort rather than cooled the atmosphere.

An Inhuman Wretch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 18.—News of a most inhuman murder comes from Riverside, Ark. It seems that a man living near that place had a stepson, five years old, whom he greatly disliked. He was known to treat him most cruelly, beating him in a terrible manner, once putting one of the little fellow's eyes out while whipping him. A few days ago he beat the child in a horrible manner and then tied him by the wrists to a stake in the hot sun, without food or water until he died. Just how long the child was there is not known. But the cords at the wrists had cut into the flesh and the wounds were filled with worms. The fiend, finding his victim was dead, armed himself and took to the woods. The child's mother seems indifferent over the affair.

Fatally Burned.

PITTSBURG, July 18.—Mrs. James Smith,

of Four Mile Run, was fatally burned and her husband and sister-in-law, Amie Smith, quite seriously injured last evening by an explosion of a can of kerosene. Mrs. Smith attempted to start the fire in the stove with the oil, and the flames communicating to the can caused the explosion. The burning liquid was scattered over the two women, setting fire to their clothing. Mr. Smith came to their rescue, but before the flames were extinguished his wife was burned so badly that she will die, and Miss Amie had sustained painful injuries. Mr. Smith had both arms and his face badly scorched in his efforts to save the women. This makes the sixth oil can fatality in this vicinity in forty-eight hours.

A Contradiction.

GALVESTON, Tex., July 18.—There is not a word of truth in the statement emanating from Houston that Julius Runge had drawn upon the First National Bank of this city during the past week or more to the extent of \$600,000 or \$800,000. The bank is perfectly solvent and this morning publishes a denial of the above statement in the *News* and says it is prepared to meet all demands on call. There are no new developments in reference to the assignment of the firm of Kaufman & Runge, and none are expected until the arrival of Julius Runge who is now en route to his home from New York. He is expected to arrive Tuesday.

The Striking Coke Workers.

PITTSBURG, July 18.—The striking coke workers have called a convention at Eversonton to-morrow to consider the advisability of causing a total suspension of work in the regions by calling upon these working at the advance to come until the strike is settled. They think that a general shut down would soon compel the operators who want coke to bring a strong pressure to bear on the others. An attempt will probably also be made to stop the importation of new men by sending a committee to New York to explain the situation to any whom agents may propose to send in. There is no change in the situation to-day.

Saloon Blown Up.

MARION, Ind., July 18.—The building occupied by Ira J. Smith as a saloon, which he had just opened up in the town of Fairmount, was completely destroyed by dynamite last night. Several adjoining buildings were also ruined. This high-handed act was the result of a determination on the part of the people of Fairmount to exclude the liquor traffic from the town. It has a Quaker population and no saloon has ever been permitted to start. The loss is about \$6,000.

Kid Glove Fight.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 18.—A kid glove fight to a finish took place on an island in the Mississippi, sixteen miles below here, at 6:30 last evening, between Danny Needham, of St. Paul, and Billy Edwards, of Chicago, light-weight champions of their respective cities for a purse of \$250. The latter was knocked out in the second round.

Supposed to Have Been Drowned.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Although several people are believed to have been drowned in the upper and lower bay during the storm yesterday no bodies have been recovered and no information of any missing people has been received.

Postponed.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The argument in the order to show cause why a permanent stay of execution of the sentence of Jacob Sharp should not be granted, has been postponed by consent until next Friday.

IRAN S AND AN I AND AN O AND AN X AT THE END, spell "Sun." And an e and a y and an e spell "I," pray what is a spell to do? Then if also an s and an i and a g and an h and e spell "vide." There is nothing much left for a spell to do but to go and commit Siouxsesequed.

A CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to convey as far as possible my thanks and recognition to those citizens of your city, also of Washington, for the liberal manner in which they responded with contributions in assisting me to secure an organ for the Methodist Church South at this place. The organ, a beautiful Eskey, costing \$125, has been purchased and placed in the church with Miss Janney as organist. And an excellent trained choir has been formed from congregation which has added greatly to the beauty and attractiveness of the service. Mr. Sutton the present pastor has won the respect and esteem of the community by his courtesy and quiet demeanor. I wish to say in conclusion that the spirit of generosity and courtesy exhibited toward me by the contributors in my efforts will be ever gratefully remembered. Very respectfully, Capt. WM. TURNER, Occquan, Va.

DIED.

On Sunday, at 10:30 a. m., Miss BEBECCA TATSPAUGH, aged 82 years. Her funeral will take place on Tuesday, at 4 p. m., from the residence of her nephew, Malcolm M. Brown, 50 E. Duke street. Friends of the family are invited to attend. (Washington papers please copy.)

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT, Eastern District of Virginia. SALE OF THE ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON RAILROAD.

Alexander Hay's ex'r. On original and amended bill. The Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company et al. On ex'r's bill. Alexander Hay's ex'r. et al.

The report of sale made by Matthew F. Pleasant, Master and Commissioner, of the works, property and franchises of the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company, having been this day brought into Court and filed, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that notice be given to the creditors by showing by exceptions in writing filed in said report in this cause on or before the 17th day of September, 1887, the said report will on that date be finally ratified and confirmed by a proper order hereon.

It is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that this order be published in the *Richmond Daily Times* and the *ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE* three times a week for the three successive weeks prior to said September 17th, 1887.

RO. W. HUGHES, Judge. A copy—test: M. F. PLEASANTS, Clerk. jyl8 eo3w

WIRE-COVERED DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES AND SCREEN WIRE of assorted widths, in quantities to suit, at 88 King street, corner of Royal. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

JUST RECEIVED—A fresh supply of the celebrated BUFFALO LITHIA WATER, direct from the springs, by the bottle or case as low as the same can be bought elsewhere. J. D. H. LUNT.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The stock market was irregular at the opening this morning at changes from Saturday's final figures extending to 10 percent, either way. Business was active, though Richmond and West Point was active. The market was heavy in the early dealings and small recessions from first prices were made throughout the list. Before 10:30 a rally occurred which brought prices generally to opening figures. The market then became dull and steady and so remained at 11 o'clock. Money easy at 4 1/2.

BALTIMORE, July 18.—Virginia 6s consolidated 45; past-due coupons 63; new 3s — 10-40; with coupon — bid to-day.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE JULY 18

Flour, fine.....	\$2 75	@	3 00
Superfine.....	3 25	@	3 50
Extra.....	3 75	@	4 00
Family.....	4 25	@	4 50
Family brand.....	5 00	@	5 25
Wheat, Longberry.....	0 78	@	0 82
Fultz.....	0 77	@	0 82
Mixed.....	0 77	@	0 82
Fair Wheat.....	0 74	@	0 78
Damp and tough.....	0 65	@	0 70
Corn, white.....	0 52	@	0 53
Yellow.....	0 49	@	0 50
Corn Meal.....	0 52	@	0 55
Rye Meal.....	0 54	@	0 60
Oats.....	0 35	@	0 38
Butter, Virginia prime.....	0 11	@	0 13
Common to middling.....	0 10	@	0 11
Eggs.....	0 19	@	0 20
Live Chickens.....	0 16	@	0 17
Veal Calves.....	0 10	@	0 11
Fresh Potatoes per bushel.....	0 35	@	0 50
Onions.....	0 80	@	0 90
Dried Peaches, peeled.....	0 7	@	0 8
" " unpeeled.....	0 4	@	0 5
" " Cherries.....	0 8	@	0 9
Dried Apples.....	0 3	@	0 4
Ham.....	0 123	@	0 13
Beef.....	0 123	@	0 13
Butcher's Ham.....	0 123	@	0 13
Breakfast Bacon.....	0 11	@	0 11 1/2
Sugar-cured Shoulders.....	0 8	@	0 8 1/2
Bulk shoulders.....	0 6 1/2	@	0 7
" " fat backs.....	0 9	@	0 9 1/2
" " fat backs.....	0 8	@	0 8 1/2
Bacon.....	0 7	@	0 7 1/2
" " Sides.....	0 9 1/2	@	0 9 1/2
Lard.....	0 7 1/2	@	0 8
Smoked Beef.....	0 15 1/2	@	0 16
Sugars—Brown.....	0 4 1/2	@	0 5 1/2
Off A.....	0 54	@	0 5 1/2
Conf. Standard A.....	0 54	@	0 5 1/2
Granulated.....	0 19	@	0 22
Coffees.....	0 22	@	0 24
La Guayra.....	0 25	@	0 28
Java.....	0 15	@	0 16
Molasses B. S.....	0 17	@	0 18
" " C. B.....	0 17	@	0 18
Sugar Syrups.....	0 22	@	0 33
Herring, Eastern, per bbl.....	3 50	@	3 55
Potomac No. 1.....	4 00	@	4 50
Do. 2 half barrel.....	4 50	@	5 00
Mackerel, small, per bbl.....	0 00	@	0 00
" " No. 3, medium.....	10 00	@	10 50
" " No. 3, large fat.....	12 00	@	14 00
" " No. 2.....	15 00	@	18 00
Clover Seed.....	2 15	@	2 25
Washed.....	4 75	@	5 00
Plaster, ground, per ton.....	5 75	@	6 00
Ground in bags.....	5 50	@	5 75
Salt—G. A. (Liverpool).....	0 75	@	0 80
Fine.....	1 20	@	1 30
Turk's Island.....	1 15	@	1 20
Wool—Long unwashed.....	0 30	@	0 34
Washed.....	0 22	@	0 25
Merino, unwashed.....	0 30	@	0 34
Do. Washed.....	0 70	@	0 75
Smack.....	10 00	@	13 00
Hay.....	18 00	@	19 00
Cut do.....	15 75	@	16 00
Wheat Bran per ton per car.....	16 00	@	16 00
White Middlings.....	15 75	@	16 25
Brown Middlings.....	19 00	@	20 00
Horn Chop.....	21 00	@	26 00
Cotton Seed Meal.....	21 00	@	26 00

Flour is easy and quiet, with good offerings. The Wheat markets, though firmer in tone and rather more active, show little or no advance in prices; dry, perfectly sound milling samples may be noted a shade higher and are in constant demand, but sweaty, garlicky and inferior grades are taken at figures nearer their relative value than usual at this season, owing to the large percentage of